



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Kozo SHIMIZU et al.

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Examiner: Sikyin Ip

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For: A SOLDER ALLOY, A CIRCUIT SUBSTRATE, A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -
GROUP ART UNIT 1742

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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March 6, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2002, extended to March 6, 2003 by a
one-month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

CLEAN VERSION OF AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims ~~7~~-14 without prejudice or disclaimer.